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For: PISTON RING

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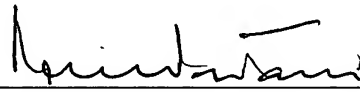
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[x] Priority is claimed for this invention and application, corresponding applications having been filed in **Germany** on **December 05, 2002**, No. **102 56 765.4**.

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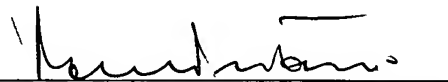
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